

**Exhibit 2**

**Horst Declaration**

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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In re:	)	Case No. 12-12020 (MG)
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RESIDENTIAL CAPITAL, LLC, <u>et al.</u> ,	)	Chapter 11
	)	
Debtors.	)	Jointly Administered
_____	)	

**DECLARATION OF DEANNA HORST WITH RESPECT TO  
OBJECTION OF THE RESCAP BORROWER CLAIMS TRUST  
TO CLAIM NUMBER 2024 FILED BY IRENE SCHMIDT**

Deanna Horst, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declares under penalty of perjury:

1. I am the Chief Claims Officer for The ResCap Liquidating Trust (the “Liquidating Trust”), and previously served as Chief Claims Officer for Residential Capital, LLC and its affiliates (“ResCap”), a limited liability company organized under the laws of the state of Delaware and the parent of the other debtors in the above-captioned Chapter 11 Cases (collectively, the “Debtors”). I have been employed by affiliates of ResCap since August of 2001. In June 2012, I became Senior Director of Claims Management for ResCap, and in October of 2013, I became the Chief Claims Officer. I began my association with ResCap in 2001 as the Director, Responsible Lending Manager, charged with managing the Debtors’ responsible lending on-site due diligence program. In 2002, I became the Director of Quality Asset Management, managing Client Repurchase, Quality Assurance and Compliance—a position I held until 2006, at which time I became the Vice President of the Credit Risk Group, managing Correspondent and Broker approval and monitoring. In 2011, I became the Vice President, Business Risk and Controls, and supported GMAC Mortgage, LLC (“GMACM”) and Ally Bank in this role. In my current position, I am responsible for Claims Management and

Reconciliation and Client Recovery. I am authorized to submit this Declaration with respect to the *Objection of the ResCap Borrower Claims Trust to Claim Number 2024 Filed by Irene Schmidt* (the “Objection”).<sup>1</sup>

2. Except as otherwise indicated, all facts set forth in this Declaration are based upon my familiarity with the Debtors’ books and records, information learned from my review of relevant documents, and information I have received through my discussions with other former members of the Debtors’ management or other former employees of the Debtors and/or the Liquidating Trust’s or Borrower Trust’s professionals and consultants.<sup>2</sup> If I were called upon to testify, I could and would testify competently to the facts set forth in the Objection on that basis.

3. The Debtors have examined the Schmidt Claim and the Response, as well as their books and records in order to (a) assess the allegations made in the Schmidt Claim and the Response and (b) verify that the Debtors followed the applicable guidelines and policies regarding loan modifications with respect to the Schmidt Claim. For the reasons set forth below, the Debtors determined that Ms. Schmidt’s allegations of liability are unsubstantiated and have no validity.

4. The Schmidt Claim was filed as an administrative priority claim in the amount of \$245,241.48 against Debtor Residential Capital, LLC. According to the Schmidt Claim, the total claim consists of (a) \$183,600.00 in damages related to “fraudulent refinancing”; (b) “Hurricane Katrina related claims” in the total amount of \$38,457.75; (c) a “Hurricane

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<sup>1</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Objection.

<sup>2</sup> The Liquidating Trust and the Borrower Trust are parties to an Access and Cooperation Agreement, dated December 17, 2013, which, among other things, provides the Borrower Trust with access to the books and records held by the Liquidating Trust and Liquidating Trust’s personnel to assist the Borrower Trust in performing its obligations.

Katrina related claim” in the amount of \$17,433.68 (purportedly held in escrow by GMACM); and (d) a “Hurricane Isaac related claim” in the amount of \$5,750.05 (purportedly held in escrow by GMACM).

5. The Schmidt Claim attaches a copy of a Petition for Damages, filed on June 27, 2012 by Ms. Schmidt against GMACM in the 24th Judicial District Court for the Parish of Jefferson in the State of Louisiana (No. 716448) (the “Petition for Damages”), that describes the purported bases for the foregoing claims. In the Petition for Damages, Ms. Schmidt essentially alleges that she was damaged because her ex-husband, Douglas Schmidt, entered into a loan modification agreement with GMACM without her knowledge or consent, and because GMACM disbursed certain insurance proceeds related to hurricane damage to the Property (as defined below) to Mr. Schmidt rather than to her. The Petition for Damages was automatically stayed upon the Petition Date. The Schmidt Claim also attaches a copy of a Marital Property Settlement Agreement between Ms. Schmidt and Mr. Schmidt, dated November 22, 2010 (the “Marital Settlement Agreement”), as well as a copy of a Non-HAMP Loan Modification Agreement between Mr. Schmidt and GMACM, dated June 29, 2011 (the “Loan Modification Agreement”).

6. Prior to filing the Objection as well as after reviewing the Response, the Liquidating Trust on behalf of the Borrower Trust attempted to reconcile the Schmidt Claim with the information in the Debtors’ books and records. Specifically, the Liquidating Trust reviewed, among other documents, Mr. Schmidt’s note and the accompanying mortgage, the purported Marital Settlement Agreement, the Loan Modification Agreement, and various correspondence between the Schmidts and GMACM with respect to the foregoing.

7. Neither the Schmidt Claim nor the Response includes any documentary or other evidence substantiating the \$183,600.00 amount of the “fraudulent refinancing” component of the Schmidt Claim. Similarly, neither the Schmidt Claim nor the Response provides any documentary or other evidence substantiating the amount of the insurance-related claims.

8. According to the Marital Settlement Agreement, (a) the Schmidts were married on April 15, 1998; (b) pursuant to the Schmidts’ marriage contract referenced in the Marital Settlement Agreement (the “Marriage Contract”), Mr. Schmidt was obligated to purchase, at his own expense, the Schmidts’ marital home, provided that the home would be owned one-half by each of the Schmidts; and (c) in accordance with the Marriage Contract, Mr. Schmidt purchased a home located at 3608 Wanda Lynn Drive, Metairie, Louisiana 70002 (the “Property”).

9. In order to finance his purchase of the Property, Mr. Schmidt obtained a loan in the principal amount of \$172,000.00 (the “Loan”) that was originated by North Texas Financial Network, Inc. on June 26, 2002. The Loan was evidenced by an adjustable rate mortgage note dated June 26, 2002 executed by Mr. Schmidt (the “Original Note” or “Original Loan”). See Original Note, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Although title to the Property was in the name of both of the Schmidts, only Mr. Schmidt signed the Original Note. Mr. Schmidt’s obligations under the Original Note were secured by a mortgage on the Property signed by both of the Schmidts and recorded on or about July 1, 2002 (the “Original Mortgage”). See Original Mortgage, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B. Homecomings Financial Network, Inc. serviced the Original Loan from September 1, 2002 until servicing transferred to GMACM on or about July 1, 2009. On February 16, 2013, servicing of the Modified Loan (as defined below) was transferred to Ocwen.

10. According to the Marital Settlement Agreement, the Schmidts were divorced on or about April 29, 2004. The Marital Settlement Agreement (dated November 22, 2010) states, among other things, that (a) Mr. Schmidt agreed to transfer all of his right, title and interest in the Property to Ms. Schmidt; (b) Mr. Schmidt agreed to transfer to Ms. Schmidt all right, title and interest in and to insurance proceeds then held by the lender in the approximate amount of \$22,000.00; (c) Mr. Schmidt agreed to bring the Original Mortgage current through March 2010; (d) Mr. Schmidt agreed to pay one-half of the sum due and owing to bring the Original Mortgage current through November 2010; (e) Mr. Schmidt agreed to execute all documents necessary to allow the lender and its successors or assigns to provide account information to Ms. Schmidt; (f) Ms. Schmidt agreed to pay one-half of the sums due and owing on the Original Mortgage from April 2010 through November 2010; and (g) Mr. Schmidt agreed to pay Ms. Schmidt one-half of the payoff figure for the Original Loan as of December 2010 in monthly installments that would be equal to one-half of the monthly payment as required by the lender, with Ms. Schmidt agreeing to pay the full monthly amount due to the lender.

11. On June 29, 2011, Mr. Schmidt and GMACM entered into the Loan Modification Agreement, effective as of July 1, 2011, which modified the terms of the Original Loan (the “Modified Loan”).

***“Fraudulent Refinancing” Claim***

12. Ms. Schmidt contends that she was damaged because Mr. Schmidt and GMACM entered into the Loan Modification Agreement without her knowledge or consent. GMACM, however, did not have an affirmative duty to contact Ms. Schmidt with respect to the modification of the Original Loan. Although the Original Mortgage was signed by both of the Schmidts, the Original Note was signed only by Mr. Schmidt. Since Mr. Schmidt was the sole

obligor under the Original Note, the request for a loan modification was negotiated only with him consistent with the terms of the Original Mortgage. The Original Mortgage states, in pertinent part, that "... any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note (a "co-signer"): ... agrees that Lender and any other Borrower can agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without the co-signer's consent." See Original Mortgage (Section 13), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B. There is nothing in the Debtors' books and records, and Ms. Schmidt has provided no documentary or other evidence, to suggest that Ms. Schmidt assumed or was otherwise obligated on the Original Loan or the Modified Loan. The fact that Ms. Schmidt signed the Original Mortgage did not make her a borrower obligated under the Original Note. Ms. Schmidt's only obligation to make payments to GMACM is found in the Marital Settlement Agreement, a purported contract between only her and Mr. Schmidt.

13. Subsequent to the date of the Loan Modification Agreement (June 29, 2011), GMACM received letters from Ms. Schmidt on a monthly basis enclosing one-half of the monthly payment due under the Modified Loan. Indeed, up until receipt of the Petition for Damages, Ms. Schmidt did not make GMACM aware of any dispute she had related to the Loan Modification Agreement since there was no communication from her that raised such an issue.

14. Lastly, any argument by Ms. Schmidt that she suffered financial damage as a result of the Loan Modification Agreement is belied by the fact that, according to GMACM's calculations, the aggregate amount of payments required under the Modified Loan until maturity is approximately \$2,455.86 less than the aggregate amount of payments that would have been required under the Original Loan in the absence of the loan modification. Moreover, as noted, even if the amount paid on account of the Original Loan prior to the loan modification

(which Ms. Schmidt alleges to be \$183,600.00) is a cognizable claim against GMACM -- which it is not -- Ms. Schmidt fails to substantiate this amount.

15. In sum, GMACM had no contractual or other obligation to obtain Ms. Schmidt's consent to the Loan Modification Agreement.

***Insurance-Related Claim***

16. With respect to the portion of Ms. Schmidt's claim concerning the hurricane-related insurance proceeds, because (a) only Mr. Schmidt signed the Original Note and (b) the Loan Modification Agreement was negotiated and executed only by Mr. Schmidt, GMACM only was obligated to remit any insurance proceeds, including those related to damage to the Property caused by Hurricanes Irene and Katrina, to Mr. Schmidt. In the loan servicing industry, it is standard practice to release insurance proceeds to the loan servicer, who then inspects the property and the proposed repairs and releases the funds to the noteholder in installments until the repairs are complete. Mr. Schmidt was the sole borrower and obligor under the Original Loan and the Modified Loan and, therefore, the only party to whom the loan servicer can deliver the proceeds of the insurance policies.

17. In sum, GMACM had no contractual or other obligation to remit the insurance proceeds to Ms. Schmidt and rightfully remitted the proceeds to Mr. Schmidt (or rightfully held certain proceeds in escrow pending an inspection).<sup>3</sup>

Dated: July 2, 2014

/s/ Deanna Horst  
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Deanna Horst  
Chief Claims Officer for  
The ResCap Liquidating Trust

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<sup>3</sup> As noted, Ocwen is currently servicing the Modified Loan. The Liquidating Trust understands that Ms. Schmidt (who currently resides at the Property) has not allowed Ocwen to inspect the Property or the proposed repairs, and Ocwen will not release any insurance proceeds remaining in escrow until an inspection is completed.



**Exhibit A**

**Original Note**

SEE "PREPAYMENT PENALTY ADDENDUM TO NOTE" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF.

**ADJUSTABLE RATE NOTE**

(LIBOR Index - Rate Caps)

THIS NOTE CONTAINS PROVISIONS ALLOWING FOR CHANGES IN MY INTEREST RATE AND MY MONTHLY PAYMENT. THIS NOTE LIMITS THE AMOUNT MY INTEREST RATE CAN CHANGE AT ANY ONE TIME AND THE MAXIMUM RATE I MUST PAY.

JUNE 26, 2002  
[Date]NEW ORLEANS  
[City]LOAN NO.: [REDACTED]  
LOUISIANA  
[State]3608 WANDA LYNN DR., METAIRIE, LA 70002  
[Property Address]**1. BORROWER'S PROMISE TO PAY**

In return for a loan that I have received, I promise to pay U.S. \$ 172,000.00 (this amount is called "Principal"), plus interest, to the order of the Lender. The Lender is NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

I will make all payments under this Note in the form of cash, check or money order.

I understand that the Lender may transfer this Note. The Lender or anyone who takes this Note by transfer and who is entitled to receive payments under this Note is called the "Note Holder."

**2. INTEREST**

Interest will be charged on unpaid principal until the full amount of Principal has been paid. I will pay interest at a yearly rate of 8.500 %. The interest rate I will pay may change in accordance with Section 4 of this Note.

The interest rate required by this Section 2 and Section 4 of this Note is the rate I will pay both before and after any default described in Section 7(B) of this Note.

**3. PAYMENTS****(A) Time and Place of Payments**

I will pay principal and interest by making a payment every month.

I will make my monthly payments on the first day of each month beginning on AUGUST, 2002

I will make these payments every month until I have paid all of the principal and interest and any other charges described below that I may owe under this Note. Each monthly payment will be applied as of its scheduled due date and will be applied to interest before Principal. If, on JULY 01, 2032, I still owe amounts under this Note, I will pay those amounts in full on that date, which is called the "Maturity Date."

I will make my monthly payments at NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

12035 JUSTICE AVENUE, BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

or at a different place if required by the Note Holder.

**(B) Amount of My Initial Monthly Payments**

Each of my initial monthly payments will be in the amount of U.S. \$ 1,322.53 . This amount may change.

**(C) Monthly Payment Changes**

Changes in my monthly payment will reflect changes in the unpaid principal of my loan and in the interest rate that I must pay. The Note Holder will determine my new interest rate and the changed amount of my monthly payment in accordance with Section 4 of this Note.


MULTISTATE ADJUSTABLE RATE NOTE - LIBOR INDEX - Single Family - Freddie Mac UNIFORM INSTRUMENT

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**4. INTEREST RATE AND MONTHLY PAYMENT CHANGES****(A) Change Dates**

The interest rate I will pay may change on the first day of JULY, 2005, and on that day every sixth month thereafter. Each date on which my interest rate could change is called a "Change Date."

**(B) The Index**

Beginning with the first Change Date, my interest rate will be based on an Index. The "Index" is the average of interbank offered rates for six-month U.S. dollar-denominated deposits in the London market ("LIBOR"), as published in *The Wall Street Journal*. The most recent Index figure available as of the first business day of the month immediately preceding the month in which the Change Date occurs is called the "Current Index."

If the Index is no longer available, the Note Holder will choose a new index that is based upon comparable information. The Note Holder will give me notice of this choice.

**(C) Calculation of Changes**

Before each Change Date, the Note Holder will calculate my new interest rate by adding SEVEN AND THREE QUARTERS percentage points ( 7.750 %) to the Current Index. The Note Holder will then round the result of this addition to the nearest one-eighth of one percentage point (0.125%). Subject to the limits stated in Section 4(D) below, this rounded amount will be my new interest rate until the next Change Date.

The Note Holder will then determine the amount of the monthly payment that would be sufficient to repay the unpaid principal that I am expected to owe at the Change Date in full on the Maturity Date at my new interest rate in substantially equal payments. The result of this calculation will be the new amount of my monthly payment.

**(D) Limits on Interest Rate Changes**

The interest rate I am required to pay at the first Change Date will not be greater than 9.500 % or less than 7.750 %. Thereafter, my interest rate will never be increased or decreased on any single Change Date by more than one percentage point (1%) from the rate of interest I have been paying for the preceding six months. My interest rate will never be greater than 15.500 %.

**(E) Effective Date of Changes**

My new interest rate will become effective on each Change Date. I will pay the amount of my new monthly payment beginning on the first monthly payment date after the Change Date until the amount of my monthly payment changes again.

**(F) Notice of Changes**

The Note Holder will deliver or mail to me a notice of any changes in my interest rate and the amount of my monthly payment before the effective date of any change. The notice will include information required by law to be given to me and also the title and telephone number of a person who will answer any question I may have regarding the notice.

**5. BORROWER'S RIGHT TO PREPAY**

I have the right to make payments of Principal at any time before they are due. A payment of Principal only is known as a "Prepayment." When I make a Prepayment, I will tell the Note Holder in writing that I am doing so. I may not designate a payment as a Prepayment if I have not made all the monthly payments due under the Note.

I may make a full Prepayment or partial Prepayments without paying any Prepayment charge. The Note Holder will use my Prepayments to reduce the amount of Principal that I owe under this Note. However, the Note Holder may apply my Prepayment to the accrued and unpaid interest on the Prepayment amount before applying my Prepayment to reduce the Principal amount of the Note. If I make a partial Prepayment, there will be no changes in the due dates of my monthly payments unless the Note Holder agrees in writing to those changes. My partial Prepayment may reduce the amount of my monthly payments after the first Change Date following my partial Prepayment. However, any reduction due to my partial Prepayment may be offset by an interest rate increase.

**6. LOAN CHARGES**

If a law, which applies to this loan and which sets maximum loan charges, is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with this loan exceed the permitted limits, then: (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit; and (b) any sums already collected from me which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to me. The Note Holder may choose to make this refund by reducing the Principal I owe under this Note or by making a direct payment to me. If a refund reduces Principal, the reduction will be treated as a partial Prepayment.

**7. BORROWER'S FAILURE TO PAY AS REQUIRED****(A) Late Charges for Overdue Payments**

If the Note Holder has not received the full amount of any monthly payment by the end of 15 calendar days after the date it is due, I will pay a late charge to the Note Holder. The amount of the charge will be 5.000 % of my overdue payment of principal and interest. I will pay this late charge promptly but only once on each late payment.

**(B) Default**

If I do not pay the full amount of each monthly payment on the date it is due, I will be in default.

**(C) Notice of Default**

If I am in default, the Note Holder may send me a written notice telling me that if I do not pay the overdue amount by a certain date, the Note Holder may require me to pay immediately the full amount of Principal which has not been paid and all the interest that I owe on that amount. That date must be at least 30 days after the date on which the notice is mailed to me or delivered by other means.

**(D) No Waiver By Note Holder**

Even if, at a time I am in default, the Note Holder does not require me to pay immediately in full as described above, the Note Holder will still have the right to do so if I am in default at a later time.

**(E) Payment of Note Holder's Costs and Expenses**

If the Note Holder has required me to pay in full as described above, the Note Holder will have the right to be paid back by me for all of its costs and expenses in enforcing this Note to the extent not prohibited by applicable law. Those expenses include, for example, reasonable attorneys' fees.

**8. GIVING OF NOTICES**

Unless applicable law requires a different method, any notice that must be given to me under this Note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to me at the Property Address above or at a different address if I give the Note Holder a notice of my different address.

Any notice that must be given to the Note Holder under this Note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to the Note Holder at the address stated in Section 3(A) above or at a different address if I am given a notice of that different address.

**9. OBLIGATIONS OF PERSONS UNDER THIS NOTE**

If more than one person signs this Note, each person is fully and personally obligated to keep all of the promises made in this Note, including the promise to pay the full amount owed. Any person who is a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note is also obligated to do these things. Any person who takes over these obligations, including the obligations of a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note, is also obligated to keep all of the promises made in this Note. The Note Holder may enforce its rights under this Note against each person individually or against all of us together. This means that any one of us may be required to pay all of the amounts owed under this Note.

**10. WAIVERS**

I and any other person who has obligations under this Note waive the rights of Presentment and Notice of Dishonor. "Presentment" means the right to require the Note Holder to demand payment of amounts due. "Notice of Dishonor" means the right to require the Note Holder to give notice to other persons that amounts due have not been paid.

**11. UNIFORM SECURED NOTE**

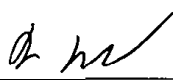
This Note is a uniform instrument with limited variations in some jurisdictions. In addition to the protections given to the Note Holder under this Note, a Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Security Deed (the "Security Instrument"), dated the same date as this Note, protects the Note Holder from possible losses which might result if I do not keep the promises that I make in this Note. That Security Instrument describes how and under what conditions I may be required to make immediate payment in full of all amounts I owe under this Note. Some of those conditions are described as follows:

**Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower.** If all or any part of the Property or any Interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if Borrower is not a natural person and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by Applicable Law. Lender also shall not exercise this option if: (a) Borrower causes to be submitted to Lender information required by Lender to evaluate the intended transferee as if a new loan were being made to the transferee; and (b) Lender reasonably determines that Lender's security will not be impaired by the loan assumption and that the risk of a breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument is acceptable to Lender.


To the extent permitted by Applicable Law, Lender may charge a reasonable fee as a condition to Lender's consent to the loan assumption. Lender may also require the transferee to sign an assumption agreement that is acceptable to Lender and that obligates the transferee to keep all the promises and agreements made in the Note and in this Security Instrument. Borrower will continue to be obligated under the Note and this Security Instrument unless Lender releases Borrower in writing.

If Lender exercises the option to require immediate payment in full, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given in accordance with Section 15 within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

WITNESS THE HAND(S) AND SEAL(S) OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

	(Seal)	(Seal)
DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT	-Borrower	-Borrower
_____	(Seal)	(Seal)
	-Borrower	-Borrower
_____	(Seal)	(Seal)
	-Borrower	-Borrower
_____	(Seal)	(Seal)
	-Borrower	-Borrower

"NE VARIETUR" for identification with a mortgage given before me on JUNE 26, 2002

  
Notary qualified in MICHAEL E. WINTERS  
ORLEANS Parish, Louisiana.

**Exhibit B**

**Original Mortgage**

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Return To:  
NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

12035 JUSTICE AVENUE  
BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

Prepared By:

NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.  
12035 JUSTICE AVENUE  
BATON ROUGE, LA 70816  
(225) 292-7800

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LOAN NO.:

MORTGAGE

#### DEFINITIONS

Words used in multiple sections of this document are defined below and other words are defined in Sections 3, 11, 13, 18, 20 and 21. Certain rules regarding the usage of words used in this document are also provided in Section 16.

(A) "Security Instrument" means this document, which is dated together with all Riders to this document.

JUNE 26, 2002

LOUISIANA-Single Family-Fannie Mae/Freddie Mac UNIFORM INSTRUMENT  
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**(B) "Borrower" is**

IRENE DANILOVA SCHMIDT AND DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT, HUSBAND AND WIFE

**Borrower is the mortgagor under this Security Instrument.**

(C) "Lender" is  
NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

Lender is a CORPORATION  
organized and existing under the laws of TEXAS  
Lender's address is

**12035 JUSTICE AVENUE, BATON ROUGE, LA 70816**

Lender's tax identification number is [REDACTED]. Lender is the mortgagee under this Security Instrument.

(D) "Note" means the promissory note signed by Borrower and dated JUNE 26, 2002

The Note states that Borrower owes Lender  
ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY TWO THOUSAND AND NO/100 X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X Dollars  
(U.S. \$ 172,000.00 ) plus interest. Borrower has promised to pay this debt in regular Periodic  
Payments and to pay the debt in full not later than JULY 01, 2032

(E) "Property" means the property that is described below under the heading "Transfer of Rights in the Property."

(F) "Loan" means the debt evidenced by the Note, plus interest, any prepayment charges and late charges due under the Note, and all sums due under this Security Instrument, plus interest.

(G) "Riders" means all Riders to this Security Instrument that are executed by Borrower. All Riders to this Security Instrument are deemed to be a part of this Security Instrument as if fully incorporated herein. The following Riders are to be executed by Borrower [check box as applicable]:

☒ Adjustable Rate Rider    
 ☐ Condominium Rider    
 ☒ 1-4 Family Rider  
☐ Graduated Payment Rider    
 ☐ Planned Unit Development Rider    
 ☐ Biweekly Payment Rider  
☐ Balloon Rider    
 ☐ Rate Improvement Rider    
 ☐ Second Home Rider  
☒ Other(s) [specify] \_\_\_\_\_

### FULL LEGAL DESCRIPTION & MARITAL STATUS ADDENDUM

(H) "Applicable Law" means all controlling applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations, ordinances and administrative rules and orders (that have the effect of law) as well as all applicable final, non-appealable judicial opinions.

(I) "Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments" means all dues, fees, assessments, and other charges that are imposed on Borrower or the Property by a condominium association, homeowners association or similar organization.

(J) "Electronic Funds Transfer" means any transfer of funds, other than a transaction originated by check, draft, or similar paper instrument, which is initiated through an electronic terminal, telephonic instrument, computer, or magnetic tape so as to order, instruct, or authorize a financial institution to debit or credit an account. Such term includes, but is not limited to, point-of-sale transfers, automated teller machine transactions, transfers initiated by telephone, wire transfers, and automated clearinghouse transfers.

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(K) "Escrow Items" means those items that are described in Section 3.

(L) "Miscellaneous Proceeds" means any compensation, settlement, award of damages, or proceeds paid by any third party (other than insurance proceeds paid under the coverages described in Section 5) for: (i) damage to, or destruction of, the Property; (ii) condemnation or other taking of all or any part of the Property; (iii) conveyance in lieu of condemnation; or (iv) misrepresentations of, or omissions as to, the value and/or condition of the Property.

(M) "Mortgage Insurance" means insurance protecting Lender against the nonpayment of, or default on, the Loan.

(N) "Periodic Payment" means the regularly scheduled amount due for (i) principal and interest under the Note, plus (ii) any amounts under Section 3 of this Security Instrument.

(O) "RESPA" means the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (12 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq.) and its implementing regulation, Regulation X (24 C.F.R. Part 3500), as they might be amended from time to time, or any additional or successor legislation or regulation that governs the same subject matter. As used in this Security Instrument, "RESPA" refers to all requirements and restrictions that are imposed in regard to a "federally related mortgage loan" even if the Loan does not qualify as a "federally related mortgage loan" under RESPA.

(P) "Successor in Interest of Borrower" means any party that has taken title to the Property, whether or not that party has assumed Borrower's obligations under the Note and/or this Security Instrument.

#### TRANSFER OF RIGHTS IN THE PROPERTY

This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (i) the repayment of the Loan, and all renewals, extensions and modifications of the Note; and (ii) the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender and Lender's successors and assigns, with power of sale, the following described property located in the \_\_\_\_\_ PARISH \_\_\_\_\_ [Type of Recording Jurisdiction]  
of JEFFERSON \_\_\_\_\_ [Name of Recording Jurisdiction]:

SEE FULL LEGAL DESCRIPTION ATTACHED

Parcel ID Number: 113-105

which currently has the address of

3608 WANDA LYNN DR. \_\_\_\_\_ [Street]  
METAIRIE \_\_\_\_\_ [City], Louisiana 70002 \_\_\_\_\_ [Zip Code]

("Property Address"):

ANNEXED TO MORTGAGE BY IRENE DANILOVA, WIFE OF, AND DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT IN FAVOR OF NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC. BY ACT BEFORE MICHAEL E. WINTERS, NOTARY PUBLIC, DATED JUNE 26, 2002

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

ONE CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, And all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, in that part hereof known as Cleary Subdivision, in SQUARE NO. 153-A, bounded by Wanda Lynn Drive, Olney Street, the western boundary line of the subdivision, and Marion Street, which said LOT of ground is designated by the NUMBER 4, commences at a distance of one hundred fifty and no hundredths (150.00') feet from the corner of Wanda Lynn Drive and Olney Street, and measures thence fifty and no hundredths (50.00') feet front on Wanda Lynn Drive, a width in the rear of fifty and thirteen hundredths (50.13') feet, a depth on the sideline nearest Olney Street of one hundred twenty three and forty seven hundredths (123.47') feet, and a depth on the opposite sideline of one hundred twenty two and five hundredths (122.05') feet; all according to sketch of survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Errol E. Kelly, Surveyor, dated may 10, 1973, a copy of which is annexed to an act before Allain C. Andry, Jr., Notary Public, dated may 11, 1973, for reference. All as more fully shown on a plat of survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Surveyors, dated September 16, 1994, a copy of which is annexed to an act before Erin M. Springer, Notary public, dated October 4, 1994.

The improvements thereon bear the Municipal Number 3608 Wanda Lynn Drive, Metairie, Louisiana 70002.

This act is made , executed and accepted subject to the following:

1. Fence encroachments as shown on the survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Surveyors, dated September 16, 1994.
2. Brick column and concrete chain wall encroachments as shown on the survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., dated September 16, 1994.

ALL THE PARTIES HERETO WAIVE PRODUCTION OF SURVEY AND HEREBY RELEASE AND RELIEVE ME, MICHAEL E. WINTERS, WINTERS TITLE AGENCY, INC. And FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY AND RESPONSIBILITY IN CONNECTION HERewith.

MARITAL STATUS ADDENDUM:

IRENE DANILOVA, [REDACTED], WIFE OF, AND DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT, [REDACTED], both persons of the full age of majority and residents of Jefferson Parish, Louisiana who declared under oath unto me, Notary that she has been married but once and then to Douglas M. Schmidt, with whom she is presently

TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures now or hereafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is referred to in this Security Instrument as the "Property."

BORROWER COVENANTS that Borrower is lawfully seised of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to mortgage, grant and hypothecate the Property and that the Property is unencumbered, except for encumbrances of record. Borrower warrants and will defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any encumbrances of record.

THIS SECURITY INSTRUMENT combines uniform covenants for national use and non-uniform covenants with limited variations by jurisdiction to constitute a uniform security instrument covering real property.

UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

**1. Payment of Principal, Interest, Escrow Items, Prepayment Charges, and Late Charges.**

Borrower shall pay when due the principal of, and interest on, the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment charges and late charges due under the Note. Borrower shall also pay funds for Escrow Items pursuant to Section 3. Payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument shall be made in U.S. currency. However, if any check or other instrument received by Lender as payment under the Note or this Security Instrument is returned to Lender unpaid, Lender may require that any or all subsequent payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument be made in one or more of the following forms, as selected by Lender: (a) cash; (b) money order; (c) certified check, bank check, treasurer's check or cashier's check, provided any such check is drawn upon an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity; or (d) Electronic Funds Transfer.

Payments are deemed received by Lender when received at the location designated in the Note or at such other location as may be designated by Lender in accordance with the notice provisions in Section 15. Lender may return any payment or partial payment if the payment or partial payments are insufficient to bring the Loan current. Lender may accept any payment or partial payment insufficient to bring the Loan current, without waiver of any rights hereunder or prejudice to its rights to refuse such payment or partial payments in the future, but Lender is not obligated to apply such payments at the time such payments are accepted. If each Periodic Payment is applied as of its scheduled due date, then Lender need not pay interest on unapplied funds. Lender may hold such unapplied funds until Borrower makes payment to bring the Loan current. If Borrower does not do so within a reasonable period of time, Lender shall either apply such funds or return them to Borrower. If not applied earlier, such funds will be applied to the outstanding principal balance under the Note immediately prior to foreclosure. No offset or claim which Borrower might have now or in the future against Lender shall relieve Borrower from making payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument or performing the covenants and agreements secured by this Security Instrument.

**2. Application of Payments or Proceeds.** Except as otherwise described in this Section 2, all payments accepted and applied by Lender shall be applied in the following order of priority: (a) interest due under the Note; (b) principal due under the Note; (c) amounts due under Section 3. Such payments shall be applied to each Periodic Payment in the order in which it became due. Any remaining amounts shall be applied first to late charges, second to any other amounts due under this Security Instrument, and then to reduce the principal balance of the Note.

If Lender receives a payment from Borrower for a delinquent Periodic Payment which includes a sufficient amount to pay any late charge due, the payment may be applied to the delinquent payment and the late charge. If more than one Periodic Payment is outstanding, Lender may apply any payment received from Borrower to the repayment of the Periodic Payments if, and to the extent that, each payment can be paid in full. To the extent that any excess exists after the payment is applied to the full payment of one or more Periodic Payments, such excess may be applied to any late charges due. Voluntary prepayments shall be applied first to any prepayment charges and then as described in the Note.

Any application of payments, insurance proceeds, or Miscellaneous Proceeds to principal due under the Note shall not extend or postpone the due date, or change the amount, of the Periodic Payments.

3. **Funds for Escrow Items.** Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day Periodic Payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum (the "Funds") to provide for payment of amounts due for: (a) taxes and assessments and other items which can attain priority over this Security Instrument as a lien or encumbrance on the Property; (b) leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any; (c) premiums for any and all insurance required by Lender under Section 5; and (d) Mortgage Insurance premiums, if any, or any sums payable by Borrower to Lender in lieu of the payment of Mortgage Insurance premiums in accordance with the provisions of Section 10. These items are called "Escrow Items." At origination or at any time during the term of the Loan, Lender may require that Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments, if any, be escrowed by Borrower, and such dues, fees and assessments shall be an Escrow Item. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this Section. Borrower shall pay Lender the Funds for Escrow Items unless Lender waives Borrower's obligation to pay the Funds for any or all Escrow Items. Lender may waive Borrower's obligation to pay to Lender Funds for any or all Escrow Items at any time. Any such waiver may only be in writing. In the event of such waiver, Borrower shall pay directly, when and where payable, the amounts due for any Escrow Items for which payment of Funds has been waived by Lender and, if Lender requires, shall furnish to Lender receipts evidencing such payment within such time period as Lender may require. Borrower's obligation to make such payments and to provide receipts shall for all purposes be deemed to be a covenant and agreement contained in this Security Instrument, as the phrase "covenant and agreement" is used in Section 9. If Borrower is obligated to pay Escrow Items directly, pursuant to a waiver, and Borrower fails to pay the amount due for an Escrow Item, Lender may exercise its rights under Section 9 and pay such amount and Borrower shall then be obligated under Section 9 to repay to Lender any such amount. Lender may revoke the waiver as to any or all Escrow Items at any time by a notice given in accordance with Section 15 and, upon such revocation, Borrower shall pay to Lender all Funds, and in such amounts, that are then required under this Section 3.

Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount (a) sufficient to permit Lender to apply the Funds at the time specified under RESPA, and (b) not to exceed the maximum amount a lender can require under RESPA. Lender shall estimate the amount of Funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Escrow Items or otherwise in accordance with Applicable Law.

The Funds shall be held in an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity (including Lender, if Lender is an institution whose deposits are so insured) or in any Federal Home Loan Bank. Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the Escrow Items no later than the time specified under RESPA. Lender shall not charge Borrower for holding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the escrow account, or verifying the Escrow Items, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and Applicable Law permits Lender to make such a charge. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on the Funds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Borrower and Lender can agree in writing, however, that interest shall be paid on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds as required by RESPA.

If there is a surplus of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall account to Borrower for the excess funds in accordance with RESPA. If there is a shortage of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower as required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the shortage in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments. If there is a deficiency of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower as required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Funds held by Lender.

**4. Charges; Liens.** Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines, and impositions attributable to the Property which can attain priority over this Security Instrument, leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any, and Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments, if any. To the extent that these items are Escrow Items, Borrower shall pay them in the manner provided in Section 3.

Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Security Instrument unless Borrower: (a) agrees in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender, but only so long as Borrower is performing such agreement; (b) contests the lien in good faith by, or defends against enforcement of the lien in, legal proceedings which in Lender's opinion operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien while those proceedings are pending, but only until such proceedings are concluded; or (c) secures from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien which can attain priority over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a notice identifying the lien. Within 10 days of the date on which that notice is given, Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above in this Section 4.

Lender may require Borrower to pay a one-time charge for a real estate tax verification and/or reporting service used by Lender in connection with this Loan.

**5. Property Insurance.** Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage," and any other hazards including, but not limited to, earthquakes and floods, for which Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be maintained in the amounts (including deductible levels) and for the periods that Lender requires. What Lender requires pursuant to the preceding sentences can change during the term of the Loan. The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's right to disapprove Borrower's choice, which right shall not be exercised unreasonably. Lender may require Borrower to pay, in connection with this Loan, either: (a) a one-time charge for flood zone determination, certification and tracking services; or (b) a one-time charge for flood zone determination and certification services and subsequent charges each time remappings or similar changes occur which reasonably might affect such determination or certification. Borrower shall also be responsible for the payment of any fees imposed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in connection with the review of any flood zone determination resulting from an objection by Borrower.

If Borrower fails to maintain any of the coverages described above, Lender may obtain insurance coverage, at Lender's option and Borrower's expense. Lender is under no obligation to purchase any particular type or amount of coverage. Therefore, such coverage shall cover Lender, but might or might not protect Borrower, Borrower's equity in the Property, or the contents of the Property, against any risk, hazard or liability and might provide greater or lesser coverage than was previously in effect. Borrower acknowledges that the cost of the insurance coverage so obtained might significantly exceed the cost of insurance that Borrower could have obtained. Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this Section 5 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. These amounts shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of disbursement and shall be payable, with such interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

All insurance policies required by Lender and renewals of such policies shall be subject to Lender's right to disapprove such policies, shall include a standard mortgage clause, and shall name Lender as mortgagee and/or as an additional loss payee. Lender shall have the right to hold the policies and renewal certificates. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of paid premiums and renewal notices. If Borrower obtains any form of insurance coverage, not otherwise required by Lender, for damage to, or destruction of, the Property, such policy shall include a standard mortgage clause and shall name Lender as mortgagee and/or as an additional loss payee.

In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower. Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any insurance proceeds, whether or not the underlying insurance was required by Lender, shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration period, Lender shall have the right to hold such insurance proceeds until Lender has had an opportunity to inspect such Property to ensure the work has been completed to Lender's satisfaction, provided that such inspection shall be undertaken promptly. Lender may disburse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in a single payment or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on such insurance proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such proceeds. Fees for public adjusters, or other third parties, retained by Borrower shall not be paid out of the insurance proceeds and shall be the sole obligation of Borrower. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower. Such insurance proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

If Borrower abandons the Property, Lender may file, negotiate and settle any available insurance claim and related matters. If Borrower does not respond within 30 days to a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may negotiate and settle the claim. The 30-day period will begin when the notice is given. In either event, or if Lender acquires the Property under Section 22 or otherwise, Borrower hereby assigns to Lender (a) Borrower's rights to any insurance proceeds in an amount not to exceed the amounts unpaid under the Note or this Security Instrument, and (b) any other of Borrower's rights (other than the right to any refund of unearned premiums paid by Borrower) under all insurance policies covering the Property, insofar as such rights are applicable to the coverage of the Property. Lender may use the insurance proceeds either to repair or restore the Property or to pay amounts unpaid under the Note or this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

6. **Occupancy.** Borrower shall occupy, establish, and use the Property as Borrower's principal residence within 60 days after the execution of this Security Instrument and shall continue to occupy the Property as Borrower's principal residence for at least one year after the date of occupancy, unless Lender otherwise agrees in writing, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, or unless extenuating circumstances exist which are beyond Borrower's control.

7. **Preservation, Maintenance and Protection of the Property; Inspections.** Borrower shall not destroy, damage or impair the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate or commit waste on the Property. Whether or not Borrower is residing in the Property, Borrower shall maintain the Property in order to prevent the Property from deteriorating or decreasing in value due to its condition. Unless it is determined pursuant to Section 5 that repair or restoration is not economically feasible, Borrower shall promptly repair the Property if damaged to avoid further deterioration or damage. If insurance or condemnation proceeds are paid in connection with damage to, or the taking of, the Property, Borrower shall be responsible for repairing or restoring the Property only if Lender has released proceeds for such purposes. Lender may disburse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in a single payment or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. If the insurance or condemnation proceeds are not sufficient to repair or restore the Property, Borrower is not relieved of Borrower's obligation for the completion of such repair or restoration.

Lender or its agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property. If it has reasonable cause, Lender may inspect the interior of the improvements on the Property. Lender shall give Borrower notice at the time of or prior to such an interior inspection specifying such reasonable cause.

8. **Borrower's Loan Application.** Borrower shall be in default if, during the Loan application process, Borrower or any persons or entities acting at the direction of Borrower or with Borrower's

knowledge or consent gave materially false, misleading, or inaccurate information or statements to Lender (or failed to provide Lender with material information) in connection with the Loan. Material representations include, but are not limited to, representations concerning Borrower's occupancy of the Property as Borrower's principal residence.

**9. Protection of Lender's Interest in the Property and Rights Under this Security Instrument.** If (a) Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, (b) there is a legal proceeding that might significantly affect Lender's interest in the Property and/or rights under this Security Instrument (such as a proceeding in bankruptcy, probate, for condemnation or forfeiture, for enforcement of a lien which may attain priority over this Security Instrument or to enforce laws or regulations), or (c) Borrower has abandoned the Property, then Lender may do and pay for whatever is reasonable or appropriate to protect Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, including protecting and/or assessing the value of the Property, and securing and/or repairing the Property. Lender's actions can include, but are not limited to: (a) paying any sums secured by a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument; (b) appearing in court; and (c) paying reasonable attorneys' fees to protect its interest in the Property and/or rights under this Security Instrument, including its secured position in a bankruptcy proceeding. Securing the Property includes, but is not limited to, entering the Property to make repairs, change locks, replace or board up doors and windows, drain water from pipes, eliminate building or other code violations or dangerous conditions, and have utilities turned on or off. Although Lender may take action under this Section 9, Lender does not have to do so and is not under any duty or obligation to do so. It is agreed that Lender incurs no liability for not taking any or all actions authorized under this Section 9.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this Section 9 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. These amounts shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of disbursement and shall be payable, with such interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with all the provisions of the lease. If Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and the fee title shall not merge unless Lender agrees to the merger in writing.

**10. Mortgage Insurance.** If Lender required Mortgage Insurance as a condition of making the Loan, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain the Mortgage Insurance in effect. If, for any reason, the Mortgage Insurance coverage required by Lender ceases to be available from the mortgage insurer that previously provided such insurance and Borrower was required to make separately designated payments toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to obtain coverage substantially equivalent to the Mortgage Insurance previously in effect, at a cost substantially equivalent to the cost to Borrower of the Mortgage Insurance previously in effect, from an alternate mortgage insurer selected by Lender. If substantially equivalent Mortgage Insurance coverage is not available, Borrower shall continue to pay to Lender the amount of the separately designated payments that were due when the insurance coverage ceased to be in effect. Lender will accept, use and retain these payments as a non-refundable loss reserve in lieu of Mortgage Insurance. Such loss reserve shall be non-refundable, notwithstanding the fact that the Loan is ultimately paid in full, and Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such loss reserve. Lender can no longer require loss reserve payments if Mortgage Insurance coverage (in the amount and for the period that Lender requires) provided by an insurer selected by Lender again becomes available, is obtained, and Lender requires separately designated payments toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance. If Lender required Mortgage Insurance as a condition of making the Loan and Borrower was required to make separately designated payments toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain Mortgage Insurance in effect, or to provide a non-refundable loss reserve, until Lender's

requirement for Mortgage Insurance ends in accordance with any written agreement between Borrower and Lender providing for such termination or until termination is required by Applicable Law. Nothing in this Section 10 affects Borrower's obligation to pay interest at the rate provided in the Note.

Mortgage Insurance reimburses Lender (or any entity that purchases the Note) for certain losses it may incur if Borrower does not repay the Loan as agreed. Borrower is not a party to the Mortgage Insurance.

Mortgage insurers evaluate their total risk on all such insurance in force from time to time, and may enter into agreements with other parties that share or modify their risk, or reduce losses. These agreements are on terms and conditions that are satisfactory to the mortgage insurer and the other party (or parties) to these agreements. These agreements may require the mortgage insurer to make payments using any source of funds that the mortgage insurer may have available (which may include funds obtained from Mortgage Insurance premiums).

As a result of these agreements, Lender, any purchaser of the Note, another insurer, any reinsurer, any other entity, or any affiliate of any of the foregoing, may receive (directly or indirectly) amounts that derive from (or might be characterized as) a portion of Borrower's payments for Mortgage Insurance, in exchange for sharing or modifying the mortgage insurer's risk, or reducing losses. If such agreement provides that an affiliate of Lender takes a share of the insurer's risk in exchange for a share of the premiums paid to the insurer, the arrangement is often termed "captive reinsurance." Further:

(a) Any such agreements will not affect the amounts that Borrower has agreed to pay for Mortgage Insurance, or any other terms of the Loan. Such agreements will not increase the amount Borrower will owe for Mortgage Insurance, and they will not entitle Borrower to any refund.

(b) Any such agreements will not affect the rights Borrower has - if any - with respect to the Mortgage Insurance under the Homeowners Protection Act of 1998 or any other law. These rights may include the right to receive certain disclosures, to request and obtain cancellation of the Mortgage Insurance, to have the Mortgage Insurance terminated automatically, and/or to receive a refund of any Mortgage Insurance premiums that were unearned at the time of such cancellation or termination.

11. Assignment of Miscellaneous Proceeds; Forfeiture. All Miscellaneous Proceeds are hereby assigned to and shall be paid to Lender.

If the Property is damaged, such Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration period, Lender shall have the right to hold such Miscellaneous Proceeds until Lender has had an opportunity to inspect such Property to ensure the work has been completed to Lender's satisfaction, provided that such inspection shall be undertaken promptly. Lender may pay for the repairs and restoration in a single disbursement or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on such Miscellaneous Proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such Miscellaneous Proceeds. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower. Such Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

In the event of a total taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower.

In the event of a partial taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value is equal to or greater than the amount of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the Miscellaneous Proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the sums secured immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value divided by (b) the fair market value of the Property immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value. Any balance shall be paid to Borrower.

In the event of a partial taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value is less than the amount of the sums secured immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value, unless



Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument whether or not the sums are then due.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the Opposing Party (as defined in the next sentence) offers to make an award to settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the Miscellaneous Proceeds either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. "Opposing Party" means the third party that owes Borrower Miscellaneous Proceeds or the party against whom Borrower has a right of action in regard to Miscellaneous Proceeds.

Borrower shall be in default if any action or proceeding, whether civil or criminal, is begun that, in Lender's judgment, could result in forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instrument. Borrower can cure such a default and, if acceleration has occurred, reinstate as provided in Section 19, by causing the action or proceeding to be dismissed with a ruling that, in Lender's judgment, precludes forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instrument. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages that are attributable to the impairment of Lender's interest in the Property are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Lender.

All Miscellaneous Proceeds that are not applied to restoration or repair of the Property shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

**12. Borrower Not Released; Forbearance By Lender Not a Waiver.** Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to Borrower or any Successor in Interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of Borrower or any Successors in Interest of Borrower. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any Successor in Interest of Borrower or to refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower or any Successors in Interest of Borrower. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy including, without limitation, Lender's acceptance of payments from third persons, entities or Successors in Interest of Borrower or in amounts less than the amount then due, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

**13. Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers; Successors and Assigns Bound.** Borrower covenants and agrees that Borrower's obligations and liability shall be joint and several. However, any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note (a "co-signer"): (a) is co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey the co-signer's interest in the Property under the terms of this Security Instrument; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lender and any other Borrower can agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without the co-signer's consent.

Subject to the provisions of Section 18, any Successor in Interest of Borrower who assumes Borrower's obligations under this Security Instrument in writing, and is approved by Lender, shall obtain all of Borrower's rights and benefits under this Security Instrument. Borrower shall not be released from Borrower's obligations and liability under this Security Instrument unless Lender agrees to such release in writing. The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind (except as provided in Section 20) and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender.

**14. Loan Charges.** Lender may charge Borrower fees for services performed in connection with Borrower's default, for the purpose of protecting Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees, property inspection and valuation fees. In regard to any other fees, the absence of express authority in this Security Instrument to charge a specific fee to Borrower shall not be construed as a prohibition on the charging of such fee. Lender may not charge fees that are expressly prohibited by this Security Instrument or by Applicable Law.

If the Loan is subject to a law which sets maximum loan charges, and that law is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the Loan exceed the permitted limits, then: (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit; and (b) any sums already collected from Borrower which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to Borrower. Lender may choose to make this refund by reducing the principal owed under the Note or by making a direct payment to Borrower. If a refund reduces principal, the

reduction will be treated as a partial prepayment without any prepayment charge (whether or not a prepayment charge is provided for under the Note). Borrower's acceptance of any such refund made by direct payment to Borrower will constitute a waiver of any right of action Borrower might have arising out of such overcharge.

**15. Notices.** All notices given by Borrower or Lender in connection with this Security Instrument must be in writing. Any notice to Borrower in connection with this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower when mailed by first class mail or when actually delivered to Borrower's notice address if sent by other means. Notice to any one Borrower shall constitute notice to all Borrowers unless Applicable Law expressly requires otherwise. The notice address shall be the Property Address unless Borrower has designated a substitute notice address by notice to Lender. Borrower shall promptly notify Lender of Borrower's change of address. If Lender specifies a procedure for reporting Borrower's change of address, then Borrower shall only report a change of address through that specified procedure. There may be only one designated notice address under this Security Instrument at any one time. Any notice to Lender shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein unless Lender has designated another address by notice to Borrower. Any notice, in connection with this Security Instrument shall not be deemed to have been given to Lender until actually received by Lender. If any notice required by this Security Instrument is also required under Applicable Law, the Applicable Law requirement will satisfy the corresponding requirement under this Security Instrument.

**16. Governing Law; Severability; Rules of Construction.** This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is located. All rights and obligations contained in this Security Instrument are subject to any requirements and limitations of Applicable Law. Applicable Law might explicitly or implicitly allow the parties to agree by contract or it might be silent, but such silence shall not be construed as a prohibition against agreement by contract. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with Applicable Law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision.

As used in this Security Instrument: (a) words of the masculine gender shall mean and include corresponding neuter words or words of the feminine gender; (b) words in the singular shall mean and include the plural and vice versa; and (c) the word "may" gives sole discretion without any obligation to take any action.

**17. Borrower's Copy.** Borrower shall be given one copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

**18. Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower.** As used in this Section 18, "Interest in the Property" means any legal or beneficial interest in the Property, including, but not limited to, those beneficial interests transferred in a bond for deed, contract for deed, installment sales contract or escrow agreement, the intent of which is the transfer of title by Borrower at a future date to a purchaser.

If all or any part of the Property or any Interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if Borrower is not a natural person and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by Applicable Law.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given in accordance with Section 15 within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

**19. Borrower's Right to Reinstate After Acceleration.** If Borrower meets certain conditions, Borrower shall have the right to have enforcement of this Security Instrument discontinued at any time prior to the earliest of: (a) five days before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in this Security Instrument; (b) such other period as Applicable Law might specify for the termination of Borrower's right to reinstate; or (c) entry of a judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. Those conditions are that Borrower: (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be due under this Security Instrument and the Note as if no acceleration had occurred; (b) cures any default of any other covenants or agreements; (c) pays all expenses incurred in enforcing this Security Instrument, including, but not limited

to, reasonable attorneys' fees, property inspection and valuation fees, and other fees incurred for the purpose of protecting Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument; and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, and Borrower's obligation to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument, shall continue unchanged. Lender may require that Borrower pay such reinstatement sums and expenses in one or more of the following forms, as selected by Lender: (a) cash; (b) money order; (c) certified check, bank check, treasurer's check or cashier's check, provided any such check is drawn upon an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality or entity; or (d) Electronic Funds Transfer. Upon reinstatement by Borrower, this Security Instrument and obligations secured hereby shall remain fully effective as if no acceleration had occurred. However, this right to reinstate shall not apply in the case of acceleration under Section 18.

**20. Sale of Note; Change of Loan Servicer; Notice of Grievance.** The Note or a partial interest in the Note (together with this Security Instrument) can be sold one or more times without prior notice to Borrower. A sale might result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects Periodic Payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument and performs other mortgage loan servicing obligations under the Note, this Security Instrument, and Applicable Law. There also might be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to a sale of the Note. If there is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change which will state the name and address of the new Loan Servicer, the address to which payments should be made and any other information RESPA requires in connection with a notice of transfer of servicing. If the Note is sold and thereafter the Loan is serviced by a Loan Servicer other than the purchaser of the Note, the mortgage loan servicing obligations to Borrower will remain with the Loan Servicer or be transferred to a successor Loan Servicer and are not assumed by the Note purchaser unless otherwise provided by the Note purchaser.

Neither Borrower nor Lender may commence, join, or be joined to any judicial action (as either an individual litigant or the member of a class) that arises from the other party's actions pursuant to this Security Instrument or that alleges that the other party has breached any provision of, or any duty owed by reason of, this Security Instrument, until such Borrower or Lender has notified the other party (with such notice given in compliance with the requirements of Section 15) of such alleged breach and afforded the other party hereto a reasonable period after the giving of such notice to take corrective action. If Applicable Law provides a time period which must elapse before certain action can be taken, that time period will be deemed to be reasonable for purposes of this paragraph. The notice of acceleration and opportunity to cure given to Borrower pursuant to Section 22 and the notice of acceleration given to Borrower pursuant to Section 18 shall be deemed to satisfy the notice and opportunity to take corrective action provisions of this Section 20.

**21. Hazardous Substances.** As used in this Section 21: (a) "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances, pollutants, or wastes by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, kerosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials; (b) "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the jurisdiction where the Property is located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection; (c) "Environmental Cleanup" includes any response action, remedial action, or removal action, as defined in Environmental Law; and (d) an "Environmental Condition" means a condition that can cause, contribute to, or otherwise trigger an Environmental Cleanup.

Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence, use, disposal, storage, or release of any Hazardous Substances, or threaten to release any Hazardous Substances, on or in the Property. Borrower shall not do, nor allow anyone else to do, anything affecting the Property (a) that is in violation of any Environmental Law, (b) which creates an Environmental Condition, or (c) which, due to the presence, use, or release of a Hazardous Substance, creates a condition that adversely affects the value of the Property. The preceding two sentences shall not apply to the presence, use, or storage on the Property of small quantities of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property (including, but not limited to, hazardous substances in consumer products).

Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of (a) any investigation, claim, demand, lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has actual knowledge, (b) any Environmental Condition, including but not limited to, any spilling, leaking, discharge, release or threat of release of any Hazardous Substance, and (c) any condition caused by the presence, use or release of a Hazardous Substance which adversely affects the value of the Property. If Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, or any private party, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law. Nothing herein shall create any obligation on Lender for an Environmental Cleanup.

NON-UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

22. Acceleration; Notice of Default; Right to Cure. Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's failure to pay principal, interest, and other fees and charges as provided in the Note, or following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument. The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a date by which the default must be cured; and (d) that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument and the sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to assert in the foreclosure proceeding the non-existence of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and foreclosure as available under Applicable Law. If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at its option may accelerate and require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand for payment.

23. Foreclosure. Following Lender's acceleration of payment, Lender may commence appropriate foreclosure proceedings under this Security Instrument under ordinary or executory process, under which Lender may cause the Property to be immediately seized and sold, with or without appraisal, in regular session of court or in vacation, in accordance with Applicable Law. For purposes of foreclosure under executory process procedures, Borrower confesses judgment and acknowledges to be indebted to Lender for all sums secured by this Security Instrument, in principal, interest, costs, expenses, attorneys' fees and other fees and charges. To the extent permitted by Applicable Law, Borrower waives: (a) the benefit of appraisal as provided in Articles 2332, 2336, 2723 and 2724 of the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure, and all other laws with regard to appraisal upon judicial sales; (b) the demand and three days' delay as provided in Articles 2639 and 2721 of the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure; (c) the notice of seizure as provided under Articles 2293 and 2721 of the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure; (d) the three days' delay provided under Articles 2331 and 2722 of the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure; and (e) all other benefits provided under Articles 2331, 2722 and 2733 of the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure and all other articles not specifically mentioned above. Borrower agrees that any declaration of fact made by an authentic act before a notary public and two witnesses by a person declaring such facts to be within his or her knowledge, will constitute authentic evidence of such facts for purposes of foreclosure under Applicable Law and for purposes of La. R.S. Section 9:3504(D)(6).

24. Cumulative Remedies. Lender shall have such additional default remedies as may be available under then Applicable Law. All of Lender's remedies shall be cumulative, and nothing under this Security Instrument shall limit or restrict the remedies available to Lender following default.

25. Keeper. Should the Property be seized as an incident to an action for recognition or enforcement of this Security Instrument by executory process, sequestration, attachment, writ of *fieri facias*, or otherwise, Borrower agrees that the court issuing such an order shall, if requested by Lender, appoint Lender, or any person or entity designated by Lender, as keeper of the Property as provided in La. R.S. Section 9:5136, *et. seq.* Borrower agrees to pay the reasonable fees of such a keeper, which fees shall be secured by this Security Instrument as an additional expense.

**26. Cancellation.** This Security Instrument shall remain in effect until canceled from the public records. Following the full payment and satisfaction of all sums secured by the Security Instrument, Borrower may request in writing that Lender provide Borrower with the original paraphed Note marked "paid in full", or with an appropriate mortgage cancellation certificate, for submission to the Clerk of Court or Recorder of Mortgages for the Parish of Orleans for the purpose of canceling this Security Instrument. Lender may delay providing Borrower with the canceled Note or with a mortgage cancellation certificate for up to 60 days following Lender's receipt of Borrower's request. Unless Lender agrees to cancel this Security Instrument from the public records, Borrower shall be responsible for doing so. Borrower shall pay all cancellation costs.

**27. Waiver of Homestead Rights.** Borrower (and Borrower's spouse to the extent applicable) waive any homestead rights and other exemptions from seizure with respect to the Property as may be provided under Applicable Law.

**28. Savings and Loan Association.** If Lender is a savings and loan association or thrift institution, the Note and all sums secured by this Security Instrument shall have the benefits of La. R.S. Section 6:830.

**29. Future Advances.** Lender may, but shall not be required to, make advances to protect the security of this Security Instrument pursuant to Section 9. At no time shall the principal amount of the indebtedness secured by this Security Instrument, including advances made pursuant to Section 9, exceed 150% of the original amount of the indebtedness set forth in the Note.

**30. Late Charges.** Should Borrower fail to pay any installment of principal and interest under the Note within 15 days of when due, Borrower agrees to pay Lender a late charge in an amount equal to 5.000 %.

**31. Marital Status.** Borrower's marital status is: A MARRIED MAN

**32. Additional Defined Terms.** As used in this Security Instrument, "Lender" additionally includes any successors and assigns of the Lender first named above, as well as any subsequent holder or holders of the Note, or of any indebtedness secured by this Security Instrument.

As used in this Security Instrument, "Note" additionally includes any substitute note or notes issued in replacement of Note first described above. It is Borrower's intent that this Security Instrument secure all renewals, extensions, refinancings, and modifications of the Note, to the extent provided by La. R.S. Section 9:5390.

As used in this Security Instrument, "Lien" also means a privilege, mortgage, security instrument, assignment or other encumbrance. "Real Property" means "immovable property" as that term is used in the Louisiana Civil Code. "Condemnation" includes "expropriation" as that term is used in Louisiana law.

**33. Property Includes Servitudes and Component Parts.** The Property subject to this Security Instrument additionally includes servitudes and component parts now or hereafter attached to or incorporated into the Property.

**34. Full Ownership.** Borrower is the full and lawful owner of the Property. If the Security Instrument is on a leasehold interest, and Borrower subsequently acquires ownership of the Property, Borrower's leasehold and ownership interests in the Property shall not merge unless Lender agrees to the merge in writing.

**35. Modification of Section 13 of this Security Instrument.** Section 13 of this Security Instrument is hereby modified to the following extent:

Each Borrower covenants and agrees that Borrower's obligations and liabilities under this Security Instrument and under the Note shall be joint, several and solidary with all other Borrowers and with each guarantor of the Note (if applicable). However, to the extent that the Property is community-owned immovable (real) property, and Borrower's spouse co-signs this Security Instrument, but does not co-sign the Note, Borrower's spouse is co-signing this Security Instrument for purpose of: (a) concurring with the granting of this Security Instrument on the community-owned Property (to the extent required under Civil Code Article 2347).

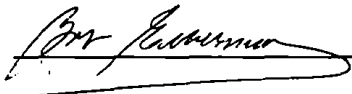
without obligating the separate property of Borrower's spouse; and (b) waiving any homestead rights to which Borrower's spouse may be entitled under Applicable Law. Notwithstanding the fact that Borrower's spouse did not co-sign the Note, and further notwithstanding the language of Section 13 of this Security Instrument, Borrower's spouse is obligated for payment of the Note and all other sums secured by this Security Instrument to the extent of the spouse's community property interest, and to the extent that the Note is a community obligation.

36. Additional Waivers. Borrower hereby waives production of mortgage, conveyance and other certificates with respect to the Property, and relieves and releases the Notary Public before whom this Security Instrument was passed from all responsibility and liability in connection therewith.

THUS DONE, AND PASSED, on this 26th day of JUNE, 2002, in the presence of the undersigned Notary Public, and in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses, who hereinto sign their names, along with Borrower, after being duly sworn and after reading of the whole.

WITNESS(ES) (as to all signatures):

  
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-Borrower

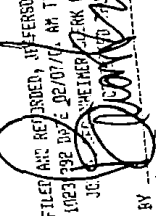
  
IRENE DANILOVA SCHMIDT (Seal)  
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**1-4 FAMILY RIDER**  
(Assignment of Rents)

THIS 1-4 FAMILY RIDER is made this 26th day of JUNE, 2002, and is incorporated into and shall be deemed to amend and supplement the Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Security Deed (the "Security Instrument") of the same date given by the undersigned (the "Borrower") to secure Borrower's Note to NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

(the "Lender") of the same date and covering the Property described in the Security Instrument and located at:

3608 WANDA LYNN DR., METAIRIE, LA 70002

[Property Address]

**1-4 FAMILY COVENANTS.** In addition to the covenants and agreements made in the Security Instrument, Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

**A. ADDITIONAL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT.** In addition to the Property described in the Security Instrument, the following items now or hereafter attached to the Property to the extent they are fixtures are added to the Property description, and shall also constitute the Property covered by the Security Instrument: building materials, appliances and goods of every nature whatsoever now or hereafter located in, on, or used, or intended to be used in connection with the Property, including, but not limited to, those for the purposes of supplying or distributing heating, cooling, electricity, gas, water, air and light, fire prevention and extinguishing apparatus, security and access control apparatus, plumbing, bath tubs, water heaters, water closets, sinks, ranges, stoves, refrigerators, dishwashers, disposals, washers, dryers, awnings, storm windows, storm doors, screens, blinds, shades, curtains and curtain rods, attached mirrors, cabinets, paneling and attached floor coverings, all of which, including replacements and additions thereto, shall be deemed to be and remain a part of the Property covered by the Security Instrument. All of the foregoing together with the Property described in the Security Instrument (or the leasehold estate if the Security Instrument is on a leasehold) are referred to in this 1-4 Family Rider and the Security Instrument as the "Property."

**B. USE OF PROPERTY; COMPLIANCE WITH LAW.** Borrower shall not seek, agree to or make a change in the use of the Property or its zoning classification, unless Lender has agreed in writing to the change. Borrower shall comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations and requirements of any governmental body applicable to the Property.

**C. SUBORDINATE LIENS.** Except as permitted by federal law, Borrower shall not allow any lien inferior to the Security Instrument to be perfected against the Property without Lender's prior written permission.

**D. RENT LOSS INSURANCE.** Borrower shall maintain insurance against rent loss in addition to the other hazards for which insurance is required by Section 5.

**E. "BORROWER'S RIGHT TO REINSTATE" DELETED.** Section 19 is deleted.

**F. BORROWER'S OCCUPANCY.** Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, Section 6 concerning Borrower's occupancy of the Property is deleted.

**G. ASSIGNMENT OF LEASES.** Upon Lender's request after default, Borrower shall assign to Lender all leases of the Property and all security deposits made in connection with leases of the Property. Upon the assignment, Lender shall have the right to modify, extend or terminate the existing leases and to execute new leases, in Lender's sole discretion. As used in this paragraph G, the word "lease" shall mean "sublease" if the Security Instrument is on a leasehold.

**H. ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS; APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER; LENDER IN POSSESSION.** Borrower absolutely and unconditionally assigns and transfers to Lender all the rents and revenues ("Rents") of the Property, regardless of to whom the Rents of the Property are payable. Borrower authorizes Lender or Lender's agents to collect the Rents, and agrees that each tenant of the Property shall pay the Rents to Lender or Lender's agents. However, Borrower shall receive the Rents until: (i) Lender has given Borrower notice of default pursuant to Section 22 of the Security Instrument, and (ii) Lender has given notice to the tenant(s) that the Rents are to be paid to Lender or Lender's agent. This assignment of Rents constitutes an absolute assignment and not an assignment for additional security only.

If Lender gives notice of default to Borrower: (i) all Rents received by Borrower shall be held by Borrower as trustee for the benefit of Lender only, to be applied to the sums secured by the Security Instrument; (ii) Lender shall be entitled to collect and receive all of the Rents of the Property; (iii)



Borrower agrees that each tenant of the Property shall pay all Rents due and unpaid to Lender or Lender's agents upon Lender's written demand to the tenant; (iv) unless applicable law provides otherwise, all Rents collected by Lender or Lender's agents shall be applied first to the costs of taking control of and managing the Property and collecting the Rents, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, receiver's fees, premiums on receiver's bonds, repair and maintenance costs, insurance premiums, taxes, assessments and other charges on the Property, and then to the sums secured by the Security Instrument; (v) Lender, Lender's agents or any judicially appointed receiver shall be liable to account for only those Rents actually received; and (vi) Lender shall be entitled to have a receiver appointed to take possession of and manage the Property and collect the Rents and profits derived from the Property without any showing as to the inadequacy of the Property as security.

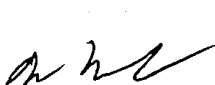

If the Rents of the Property are not sufficient to cover the costs of taking control of and managing the Property and of collecting the Rents any funds expended by Lender for such purposes shall become indebtedness of Borrower to Lender secured by the Security Instrument pursuant to Section 9.

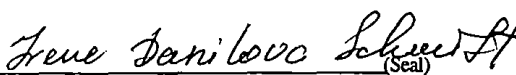
Borrower represents and warrants that Borrower has not executed any prior assignment of the Rents and has not performed, and will not perform, any act that would prevent Lender from exercising its rights under this paragraph.

Lender, or Lender's agents or a judicially appointed receiver, shall not be required to enter upon, take control of or maintain the Property before or after giving notice of default to Borrower. However, Lender, or Lender's agents or a judicially appointed receiver, may do so at any time when a default occurs. Any application of Rents shall not cure or waive any default or invalidate any other right or remedy of Lender. This assignment of Rents of the Property shall terminate when all the sums secured by the Security Instrument are paid in full.

**I. CROSS-DEFAULT PROVISION.** Borrower's default or breach under any note or agreement in which Lender has an interest shall be a breach under the Security Instrument and Lender may invoke any of the remedies permitted by the Security Instrument.

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and provisions contained in this  
1-4 Family Rider.

  (Seal)  
DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT -Borrower

 (Seal)  
IRENE DANILOVA SCHMIDT -Borrower

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LOAN NO.: [REDACTED]

**ADJUSTABLE RATE RIDER**  
(LIBOR Index - Rate Caps)

THIS ADJUSTABLE RATE RIDER is made this 26th day of JUNE, 2002, and is incorporated into and shall be deemed to amend and supplement the Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Deed to Secure Debt (the "Security Instrument") of the same date given by the undersigned (the "Borrower") to secure Borrower's Note to  
NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC.

(the "Lender") of the same date and covering the property described in the Security Instrument and located at:

3608 WANDA LYNN DR., METAIRIE, LA 70002  
[Property Address]

THE NOTE CONTAINS PROVISIONS ALLOWING FOR CHANGES IN THE INTEREST RATE AND THE MONTHLY PAYMENT. THE NOTE LIMITS THE AMOUNT THE BORROWER'S INTEREST RATE CAN CHANGE AT ANY ONE TIME AND THE MAXIMUM RATE THE BORROWER MUST PAY.

**ADDITIONAL COVENANTS.** In addition to the covenants and agreements made in the Security Instrument, Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

**A. INTEREST RATE AND MONTHLY PAYMENT CHANGES**

The Note provides for an initial interest rate of 8.500 %. The Note provides for changes in the interest rate and the monthly payments as follows:

**4. INTEREST RATE AND MONTHLY PAYMENT CHANGES****(A) Change Dates**

The interest rate I will pay may change on the first day of JULY, 2005, and on that day every sixth month thereafter. Each date on which my interest rate could change is called a "Change Date."

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**(B) The Index**

Beginning with the first Change Date, my interest rate will be based on an Index. The "Index" is the average of interbank offered rates for six-month U.S. dollar-denominated deposits in the London market ("LIBOR"), as published in *The Wall Street Journal*. The most recent Index figure available as of the first business day of the month immediately preceding the month in which the Change Date occurs is called the "Current Index."

If the Index is no longer available, the Note Holder will choose a new index that is based upon comparable information. The Note Holder will give me notice of this choice.

**(C) Calculation of Changes**

Before each Change Date, the Note Holder will calculate my new interest rate by adding SEVEN AND THREE QUARTERS percentage points ( 7.750 %) to the Current Index. The Note Holder will then round the result of this addition to the nearest one-eighth of one percentage point (0.125%). Subject to the limits stated in Section 4(D) below, this rounded amount will be my new interest rate until the next Change Date.

The Note Holder will then determine the amount of the monthly payment that would be sufficient to repay the unpaid principal that I am expected to owe at the Change Date in full on the maturity date at my new interest rate in substantially equal payments. The result of this calculation will be the new amount of my monthly payment.

**(D) Limits on Interest Rate Changes**

The interest rate I am required to pay at the first Change Date will not be greater than 9.500 % or less than 7.750 %. Thereafter, my interest rate will never be increased or decreased on any single Change Date by more than one percentage point (1%) from the rate of interest I have been paying for the preceding six months. My interest rate will never be greater than 15.500 %.

**(E) Effective Date of Changes**

My new interest rate will become effective on each Change Date. I will pay the amount of my new monthly payment beginning on the first monthly payment date after the Change Date until the amount of my monthly payment changes again.

**(F) Notice of Changes**

The Note Holder will deliver or mail to me a notice of any changes in my interest rate and the amount of my monthly payment before the effective date of any change. The notice will include information required by law to be given to me and also the title and telephone number of a person who will answer any question I may have regarding the notice.

**B. TRANSFER OF THE PROPERTY OR A BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN BORROWER**

Uniform Covenant 18 of the Security Instrument is amended to read as follows:


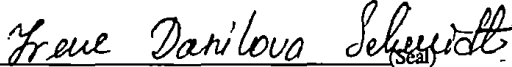
**Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower.** As used in this Section 18, "Interest in the Property" means any legal or beneficial interest in the Property, including, but not limited to, those beneficial interests transferred in a bond for deed, contract for deed, installment sales contract or escrow agreement, the intent of which is the transfer of title by Borrower at a future date to a purchaser.

If all or any part of the Property or any Interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if a Borrower is not a natural person and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by Applicable Law. Lender also shall not exercise this option if: (a) Borrower causes to be submitted to Lender information required by Lender to evaluate the intended transferee as if a new loan were being made to the transferee; and (b) Lender reasonably determines that Lender's security will not be impaired by the loan assumption and that the risk of a breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument is acceptable to Lender.

To the extent permitted by Applicable Law, Lender may charge a reasonable fee as a condition to Lender's consent to the loan assumption. Lender may also require the transferee to sign an assumption agreement that is acceptable to Lender and that obligates the transferee to keep all the promises and agreements made in the Note and in this Security Instrument. Borrower will continue to be obligated under the Note and this Security Instrument unless Lender releases Borrower in writing.

If Lender exercises the option to require immediate payment in full, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given in accordance with Section 15 within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Adjustable Rate Rider.

 _____ (Seal) DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT -Borrower	 _____ (Seal) IRENE DANILOVA SCHMIDT -Borrower
_____ (Seal) -Borrower	_____ (Seal) -Borrower
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LOAN NO.: [REDACTED]

## MORTGAGE

### DEFINITIONS

Words used in multiple sections of this document are defined below and other words are defined in Sections 3, 11, 13, 18, 20 and 21. Certain rules regarding the usage of words used in this document are also provided in Section 16.

(A) "Security Instrument" means this document, which is dated together with all Riders to this document.

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(K) "Escrow Items" means those items that are described in Section 3.

(L) "Miscellaneous Proceeds" means any compensation, settlement, award of damages, or proceeds paid by any third party (other than insurance proceeds paid under the coverages described in Section 5) for: (i) damage to, or destruction of, the Property; (ii) condemnation or other taking of all or any part of the Property; (iii) conveyance in lieu of condemnation; or (iv) misrepresentations of, or omissions as to, the value and/or condition of the Property.

(M) "Mortgage Insurance" means insurance protecting Lender against the nonpayment of, or default on, the Loan.

(N) "Periodic Payment" means the regularly scheduled amount due for (i) principal and interest under the Note, plus (ii) any amounts under Section 3 of this Security Instrument.

(O) "RESPA" means the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (12 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq.) and its implementing regulation, Regulation X (24 C.F.R. Part 3500), as they might be amended from time to time, or any additional or successor legislation or regulation that governs the same subject matter. As used in this Security Instrument, "RESPA" refers to all requirements and restrictions that are imposed in regard to a "federally related mortgage loan" even if the Loan does not qualify as a "federally related mortgage loan" under RESPA.

(P) "Successor in Interest of Borrower" means any party that has taken title to the Property, whether or not that party has assumed Borrower's obligations under the Note and/or this Security Instrument.

#### TRANSFER OF RIGHTS IN THE PROPERTY

This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (i) the repayment of the Loan, and all renewals, extensions and modifications of the Note; and (ii) the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender and Lender's successors and assigns, with power of sale, the following described property located in the \_\_\_\_\_ PARISH \_\_\_\_\_ [Type of Recording Jurisdiction]  
of JEFFERSON \_\_\_\_\_ [Name of Recording Jurisdiction]:

SEE FULL LEGAL DESCRIPTION ATTACHED

Parcel ID Number: 113-105

which currently has the address of

3608 WANDA LYNN DR.

[Street]

METAIRIE

[City], Louisiana

70002

[Zip Code]

("Property Address"):

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**ANNEXED TO MORTGAGE BY IRENE DANILOVA, WIFE OF, AND DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT IN FAVOR OF NORTH TEXAS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC. BY ACT BEFORE MICHAEL E. WINTERS, NOTARY PUBLIC, DATED JUNE 26, 2002**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

ONE CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, And all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, in that part hereof known as Cleary Subdivision, in SQUARE NO. 153-A, bounded by Wanda Lynn Drive, Olney Street, the western boundary line of the subdivision, and Marion Street, which said LOT of ground is designated by the NUMBER 4, commences at a distance of one hundred fifty and no hundredths (150.00') feet from the corner of Wanda Lynn Drive and Olney Street, and measures thence fifty and no hundredths (50.00') feet front on Wanda Lynn Drive, a width in the rear of fifty and thirteen hundredths (50.13') feet, a depth on the sideline nearest Olney Street of one hundred twenty three and forty seven hundredths (123.47') feet, and a depth on the opposite sideline of one hundred twenty two and five hundredths (122.05') feet; all according to sketch of survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Errol E. Kelly, Surveyor, dated May 10, 1973, a copy of which is annexed to an act before Allain C. Andry, Jr., Notary Public, dated May 11, 1973, for reference. All as more fully shown on a plat of survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Surveyors, dated September 16, 1994, a copy of which is annexed to an act before Erin M. Springer, Notary public, dated October 4, 1994.

The improvements thereon bear the Municipal Number 3608 Wanda Lynn Drive, Metairie, Louisiana 70002.

This act is made, executed and accepted subject to the following:

1. Fence encroachments as shown on the survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., Surveyors, dated September 16, 1994.
2. Brick column and concrete chain wall encroachments as shown on the survey by Gilbert, Kelly & Couturie, Inc., dated September 16, 1994.

**ALL THE PARTIES HERETO WAIVE PRODUCTION OF SURVEY AND HEREBY RELEASE AND RELIEVE ME, MICHAEL E. WINTERS, WINTERS TITLE AGENCY, INC. And FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY AND RESPONSIBILITY IN CONNECTION HERewith.**

**MARITAL STATUS ADDENDUM:**

IRENE DANILOVA, [REDACTED], WIFE OF, AND DOUGLAS M. SCHMIDT, [REDACTED] both persons of the full age of majority and residents of Jefferson Parish, Louisiana who declared under oath unto me, Notary that she has been married but once and then to Douglas M. Schmidt, with whom she is presently